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4th Race—Consolation Stakes, ½ mile; for beaten horses; catch weights. Entrance $5 with $20 added.

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1:30 O'CLOCK.

PRINCE OF WALES' CUP, value $50 of $10 each, with $50 added, weight for ages; heats, distance 1 mile.

2:30 O'CLOCK.

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3:30 O'CLOCK.

ESQUIMALT STAKES for horses nominated and ridden by officers of Her Majesty's Navy, catch weights, distance 1 mile.

4 O'CLOCK.

CONSOLATION STAKES for beaten horses of $2 50 each with $25 added; Catch weights, distance ½ mile.

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The above programme is proposed to be carried out if sufficient funds are collected.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

1. These Races will be run (strictly) according to the English Jockey Club Rules.
2. Horses to be entered before 6 P. M. on Friday the 7th November at the Committee Room, Yates street, with ages and description of the same, in full.
3. Owners of Horses to declare their colors at the time of entry.
4. Jockeys riding in wrong colors will be fined $5.
5. All Races will be started punctually.

M. R.—Mr. George Richardson is deputed by the Committee to collect subscriptions.
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"Land Registry Ordinance 1870."

LOT 297 VICTORIA CITY.

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The Daily Standard.

Thursday, October 30th, 1873.

Italian Affairs.

Although perfect quiet prevails in Europe, so far as the relations of the various States toward each other is concerned, events are nevertheless transpiring on the European continent in which the world at large cannot but take a deep interest. In France a crisis is impending which threatens the stability of the Republican form of government which has been set up there and the restoration of the Bourbon dynasty, and may at any moment involve the whole nation in the throes of another civil war. We all know how excitable the French people are, and how little it takes to fan the flame of revolution into an almost uncontrollable political conflagration, and it will be a very great wonder indeed if the intrigues of the Monarchists do not result in a repetition of the scenes of 1848 and 1871. Spain at the present moment presents a sad spectacle of internal discord, and what is going to be the final result of all the bloodshed and destruction of property going on there, it would scarcely be safe to hazard an opinion. The contest is undoubtedly one between liberty and despotism, freedom of speech and conscience against bigotry and superstition; Don Carlos being the representative of the former, and President Castelar of the latter. Should the issue of the contest be the establishment of a liberal Republican Government upon a firm basis, it will likely redound greatly to the advantage of the Spanish people; but there may be some difficulty in convincing them of that fact. The events that are transpiring in Italy are in some respects even more momentous than those engaging public attention in France and Spain. Victor Emmanuel is firmly carrying out his policy with regard to the confiscation of ecclesiastical institutions in the city of Rome, the Jesuits having been formally notified to vacate their houses on or before the 2nd November proximo. Pius the Ninth has always cherished the hope that circumstances would be so ordered in France that a pressure would be brought to bear by the Government of that country upon the King of Italy to put a stop to the repressive measures of the Italian Government, aimed at the freedom and independence of the Sovereign Pontiff and the estate of the Church. It would seem, however, that the recent visit of Victor Emmanuel to Vienna and Berlin has had the effect of shaking the confidence of the friends of the Church in the ability of France to help his Holiness, even if she were in a position to do so and ever so well disposed. Although the visit of the Italian King to the Courts of Vienna and Berlin was said to have no political significance whatever, it is now pretty generally understood and believed that a secret treaty has been entered into by which Italian unity has been guaranteed, and will be defended in case any attempt should hereafter be made by France to disturb it. The doctrine of Papal Infallibility and the temporal power of the Pope is bearing its legitimate fruit, and instead of strengthening the hands of his Holiness and increasing the influence of the Church in temporal matters, the effect has been the very opposite, not only in Italy, but also in Germany, Austria, Spain and France. A contemporary writing upon the subject says: "The latest news from Rome is a report from the lips of the Pope that the solution of the Roman question was, to all human appearances, farther off at present than it has been for considerable time past. This declaration, if authentic, coupled with the significant visit of Victor Emmanuel to Berlin, would prove that there is really an alliance of some kind or other between the Cabinets of Germany and Italy. What adds to a proper understanding of the situation is the late manifesto of the Duc de Chambord, in which he distinctly pledges himself, in the case of his elevation to the Throne of France, that he will not interfere with the present condition of Rome and Italy. No secret has been made of the object of the conference lately held between Victor Emmanuel and Bismarck. The Italian journals have openly expressed their fears that the restoration of a Monarchy in France would be the signal of war between that country and theirs, and to prepare for any such contingency an alliance was sought and obtained by Italy with Germany. That Germany will give Italy all the assistance in her power, there is no reason whatever to doubt, and that in view of this fact the Duc de Chambord should beforehand disclaim any intention of menacing Italy, is quite natural. Under these circumstances, the words of his Holiness are quite intelligible. It might have been expected that Austria would either stand neutral or lean towards France in this question, but we are informed that on his passage through Vienna, Victor Emmanuel received assurances of support from Francis Joseph. Single handed, France is unequal to an attempt against Italy at present, and the human appearances certainly are that the *statu quo* will be maintained for an indefinite period longer."

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FOR SALE IN THE ESQUIMALT District, on the road leading to Sooke, about 10 miles from town, a Farm containing 200 acres of land, about 30 acres under cultivation. Also dwelling house, barn, and outhouses. There is plenty of good water on the premises, and a fine stock run adjoining the farm. The farm will be sold with or without the live stock, of which there are about 20 head.

For particulars apply to

W. FISHER,
Glen Lake Farm.
oc30

Great Excitement!

THE INDIAN BALM OIL MAN

HAS ARRIVED. This Medicine cures or no pay, Headache, Toothache, Sprains, Rheumatism, Corns, Catarrh in the head, &c.

Persons desirous of procuring the medicine should address A. T. Hasting, Mrs. Mason's Boarding House, Fort street. oc30

Repairs, &c., to Royal Naval Hospital.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY me on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty for Repairs, &c., to the Royal Naval Hospital at Esquimalt, on Wednesday the 5th day of November, 1873, to be deposited in the Tender Box at my office, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., marked "Tenders for Repairs to Naval Hospital."

A specification, &c., may be seen at the Naval Hospital any day between the hours of 9 and 11 A. M. only.

The lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 29th Oct., 1873. oc30

THEATRE ROYAL,

VICTORIA, B. C:

MR. J. H. CHURCH HAVING LEASED for

Mmd. Laura A. Stevenson

The above Theatre, he begs to inform the public of Victoria that he will lose no time or expense in renovating and repairing the entire building so as to render it a comfortable and desirable place of amusement during the coming winter season, when dramatic and other stars will appear, supported by a First Class Company.

Persons wishing to rent the Theatre for Concerts or entertainments are requested to make application to Mr. J. H. Church. oc29-1m

Removal.

MR. DIGBY PALMER HAS REMOVED to the opposite side of Fort street, next door to Captain Wylde's residence. oc28

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE TIME FOR RECEIVING RETURNS in reference to the Agricultural interests in the Province has been extended to the 25th November next.

W. J. ARMSTRONG.
Minister of Agriculture.
oc28

For Sale.

MRS. JAMESON

Corner of Broad and View Streets.

Is Sole Agent for

Butterick's Celebrated Patterns

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION Suited to all Ages, Male and Female. No family should be without them as they will save hundreds of dollars to all who use them. Every lady can be her own dress maker. ☞ Furnished Rooms to let. oc28

MRS. WILLIAMSON

HAVING ARRIVED FROM SAN FRANcisco will resume

At Her Old Residence,

KANE STREET

Between Blanchard and Douglas Streets on Thursday next, the 30th inst. oc28 1m

RESTAURANT

AND

COFFEE SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS OPENED a Restaurant and Coffee Saloon on

JOHNSON STREET.

Board by the Week	$4 00
Board by the Day	75
Board by the Meal	25
Cup of Coffee and Roll	12½

LEUN SUN.....(oc28 3m).....Proprietor.

Mechanics' Literary Institute.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the above Institute will be held in the Lecture Room of the Institute on Tuesday the 4th day of November, at 8 P. M., to receive the annual report, elect officers for the ensuing year and transact general business.

CONWAY SCOTT,
oc27 Hon. Secretary.

For Skeena River

THE H.B.CO'S STEAMSHIP

Otter,

Captain.....LEWIS,

Will sail for Skeena River and way ports on or about Friday the 31st October.

Parties shipping are requested to have their freight on the wharf by Wednesday night.

For particulars apply on Board. oc27

New Advertisements.

VICTORIA BOOK BINDERY,

THIS BINDERY is one of the largest and most perfect in all its various departments on the Pacific Coast. The machinery is new and of the most approved manufacture, and the stock of Binder's Material is large and carefully selected, and prices are as low as any other house in the trade.

All work warranted, and satisfaction guaranteed.

R. T. WILLIAMS,
At T. N. Hibben & Co.'s Store. oc25

PHILHARMONIC HALL,

FORT STREET.

Grand Opening Promenade Concert and Ball.

Under the Patronage of His Excellency the Lieut-Governor.

THE PROPRIETOR (Prof. C. Schaefer,) begs to inform the Public of Victoria that he will give a grand

Instrumental Promenade Concert and Ball,

On Thursday Eve., Oct. 30th.

On which occasion the

Bands of H. M. S. Repulse and Prof. Schaffer

Will play a selection of Music. The following is the

PROGRAMME:

Overture—"Le Dame Blanche,".....Boaldieu
Selection—"Lucia di Lammermoor".....Donizetti
Waltz—"Soldaten Leider".....Gungl
Fantasia—"Scotch Airs,".....Welsh
Selection from "Martha,".....Flotow
Selection from "La Fille du Regiment to".....Donizetti
Duett—Haste to the Field of Glory, from the opera o Belisario".....Donizetti
Pot Pouri—"Fare Thee Well,".....Schaffer

The Ball will commence immediately after the Concert the programme of which will shortly appear.

ADMISSION—Gentleman and Ladies $3, Supper included. Tickets may be had at Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s Government street.

SINGLE GENTLEMEN $2 oc24

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J. P. DAVIES & CO,

Have received instructions from

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At his residence

Broughton Street,

On Friday, Nov. 7th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

All His Superior

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Consisting of in part:

Drawing-room, Dining-room Bed-room and Parlor

Furniture.

ELEGANT ROSEWOOD

PIANO.

CARPETS, CURTAINS, Etc. oc26

Rosewood Drawing Suit in Brocatel,
Rosewood 7 Octave Kirkman's Piano and Stool.
Handsome Pier Glass in Gilt Frame,
Brass Cornices and Lace Curtains.
Body Brussels Carpet and Rugs,
Whatnot, Cromos, Paintings,
Marble Top Table, Books,
Ornaments, Piano Cover.

Dining-room.

Marble Top Walnut Sideboard,
Extension Dining Table,
Lounge, Filter,

CHOICE ENGRAVINGS.

Cane seat Chairs, Ornaments,
Writing Desks, Feld Glass,
Glassware,
Table Cutlery,
Plateware,
Table Cloth, Napkins, Hat Rack.

Bed-rooms.

Bedsteads, Bureaus, Washstands, Tables
Chamber Sets,
Sheets, Blankets, Counterpanes, Carpets
Spring and Hair Mattrasses,
Clocks, Etc., Etc.

Kitchenware.

Baths, Oil Cloth, Garden Tools, Iron try Kettle and Furnace,
Cooking Range, Crockery, &c.

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New Advertisements.

SCOTCH HOUSE,

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A. McLEAN & CO.

General Outfitters

Beg to intimate that they have a

Choice Assortment of Winter and Fall Goods.

They import direct from the best English, Scotch and Dominion Markets, and will Sell at the Smallest Possible Advance on Cost. oc15

W. & T. Wilson,

GENERAL OUTFITTERS,

LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.

NEW DESIGNS in OXFORD SHIRTS, Scarfs, Collars &c.

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DOMINE DIRIGE NOS

A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF

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GOODS

OF LATEST STYLES,

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LONDON HOUSE.

By steamer to-day, Oct. 25,

Turner, Beeton & Tunstall,

oc27

E. CUVREAU,

Spring Valley Nursery

CEDAR HILL ROAD.

FRUIT TREES OF EVERY DESCRIPtion For Sale. oc21 6m

Desirable Farm To Let.

THE FARM NOW OCCUPIED BY MR. Aime LeClair, Sections 42 and 43 Victoria District containing about 212 acres of good land, part of which is under Timothy Grass, part consisting of splendid Bottom Land and the best open pasture, all fenced with good dwelling house and other suitable Farm Buildings. Shall be let for a term of years as may be agreed upon to a good tenant. Possession to be given on the 1st of November next.

For further particulars application may be made to

ROD'K. FIVLAYSON,
oc21 Rock Bay, Victoria.

NOTICE.

G. R HUDSON

LICENSED VICTUALLER,

Market Exchange,

FORT STREET.

TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY TO INform the public and his neighbours especially that he does not loan Beer or dispense it gratis as medicine. oc21 1m

Wanted

A RESPECTABLE MIDDLE AGED woman as housekeeper; for further information enquire of

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114 pkgs Dry Goods, Clothing, &c.
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These goods have been carefully selected by our buyer in London, and are specially adapted for the Fall and Winter Wholesale Trade.

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VICTORIA. B. C.

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Have Received Direct from England

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Waterproof HARNESS BLACKING,

Jet Black Oil for Harness, Plate Powder, Saddle and Bridle Stain, Saddle Polish,

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For strengthening of Horses, Weak Sprained Sinews, Ligaments and Tendons; also for Shinboreness, Curbs, Over Reaches, Blows, and Bruises.

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Singer and Howe Family and Leather Sewing Machines. Extra Needles for Howe and Singer Machines, Springs, Shuttle, Trimmers, Quilters, Corders, Tuckers, &c:

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VICTORIA, B.C.

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JOHN BOYD

BEGS TO INFORM HIS FRIENDS and the public generally that he WILL OPEN on

Thursday, the 16th October

THE PREMISES IN

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Next to Pattrick's Corner, with a carefully selected Stock of

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Every Article will be Warranted Genuine and sold at the Lowest Remunerative Prices.

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VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 11th, 1873. oc14 2pdw

SAANICH PLOWING MATCH.

THE ANNUAL PLOWING MATCH Will take place on Saturday the 8th, November, 1873, at Mr. J. D. Bryant's Farm, South Saanich, East Road.

PRIZE LIST

First Class.		Second Class, Amateurs.	
First Prize	$12 00	First Prize	$10 00
Second Prize	10 00	Second Prize	7 00
Third Prize	8 00	Third Prize	5 00
		Fourth Prize	4 00

BOYS CLASS, 15 Years and under.

First Prize	$6 00	Second Prize	$4 00
Third Prize	3 00	Fourth Prize	2 00

Amount of Land to be Plowed One-third Imperial Acre. Plowing to begin at 9 A. M.

ALEX. ANDERSON, jr., Secretary
oc17

Gold Commissioner's Notice.

ON AND AFTER THE 1st November, next, all Claims in the Cariboo District may be laid over till the 20th May, 1874, subject to the 9th Section of the Gold Amendment Act 1872.

H. M. BALL,
Gold Commissioner.
Richfield, October 9th, 1873. oc27

NOTICE.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND GAOL DELIVERY and of NISI PRIUS will be held at Nanaimo on Thursday the 4th day of December, next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated 24th day of October, 1873.

By Command,

JOHN ASH,
oc27 *Provincial Secretary.*

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore exisiting between Landblad & Emith, of the Bavaria Brewery, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Their successors are authorized to collect all outstanding accounts, and will pay all indebtedness of the late firm.

Henry Walther having become a partner in the Bavaria Brewery, Fort street, Victoria, the business will in future be carried on under the name the style of

SMITH & WALTHER.

Witness:—Thos. Hy. Hooker.
Victoria, B. C., 18th October. oc30

The Daily Standard

Thursday, October 26th, 1873.

Police Court.

Billy, a Bella Coola Indian, charged with being drunk and disorderly and threatening to strike Constable Beecher, was ordered to find security to be of good behavior for three months.

J. H. Church appeared on remand charged with creating a disturbance in the Theatre Saloon, and assaulting one James Oram with a slung shot.

James Oram, sworn—Am proprietor of the Theatre Saloon; was in the Theatre on Monday night and heard a noise in the passage; went down and discovered Mr. Church rushing about wildly with a knife, I remonstrated with him and asked him if he was mad and I then caught hold of him; he said; "if you don't let me go I will cut you;" afterwards defendant came into my saloon and created a disturbance with a Mr. Cameron; I told him I would not allow any row in my place, and he then went and fetched Sergeant Bloomfield and gave Mr. Cameron in charge. After the theatre was closed, Church came into my saloon again with Mr. Fulford and again commenced a row with Mr. Cameron; finally they proposed to take a drink together, but Cameron took a cigar, and then Church felt annoyed and spoke hard words to Cameron again. Here a gentleman took Church's part, and I told the gentleman if he did not go out I would hit him over the head with a bottle; I finally forced the gentleman out of my saloon, and when I was going to close my saloon I told Church that if he (Church) ever came into my place again I would kick him out. I told him he was a disreputable man. He then said, "what do you say you will do?" and I again told him I would kick him out of my place. He had his hand in his hip pocket then, and he suddenly pulled out a slung-shot from it and struck a blow at me which hit me on the forehead. I fell back and was slightly stunned, and seeing my barkeeper going towards Church, I called out to him not to go or he would kill him. Church then ran away and I called for help.

Cross examined by Mr. Jackson.—Church has been in the habit of coming into my saloon after the theatre is over to get bottled beer to take home. In reply to a remark made by Church when he came into the saloon I said "you lie." I put my hand on Church afterwards and told him to go out; after that he struck me. I don't think there is any difference between an English life preserver and a slung-shot; the upper class, I think, call it a life preserver. (Great laughter.) If I had been any where else but on British soil I should have shot Church like a cat; should not think anything of shooting a dozen such lawless men as Church. (Great laughter.) I wish you (Mr. Jackson) had had the blow from the life preserver instead of me, and you would not then think of it so lightly. (Laughter.) I will swear that I was not struck with a sleeve-button by Mr. Church. He hit me very quickly, but I could see the dimensions &c., of the life preserver. (Witness here gave a dissertation on dangerous weapons.)

Witness' head was then examined by his Worship, who at length discovered a scratch on the forehead. His Worship did not, however, think that it was a wound produced by a slung-shot.

Officer Black sworn.—Deposed to seeing Church raise his hand to strike Oram, saying at the same time, "will you?" Saw some thing small in Church's hand, but could not describe it. Oram called upon him to take Church in charge, saying that he had struck him with a slung-shot. Church ran towards Madame Stevenson and passed something to her, and she then ran away with it concealed. Madame Stevenson was standing on Government street between the theatre and Fort street.

Cross examined—Cannot say what it was Church had in his hand, but will swear it was not a pocket-book.

Edward Leigh sworn—Deposed to hearing a row between Church and Oram; and that after Oram had been "struck" he heard the latter call out and warn him of a slung-shot.

Mr. Jackson for the defendant submitted that the wrong man was the prosecutor in this case, and that it was Oram who should have been placed in the dock to take his trial for having committed an unprovoked assault. (The learned consel for the defendant was constantly interrupted by the prosecutor in his address to the Court.) Continuing, however, he submitted that Oram had been struck by Church, but not with any weapon; Church had a pocket-book in his hand at the time, and wore a large sleeve button, and by striking the prosecutor at that time would have inflicted the trifling scratch, which could by scruting be detected on the prosecutor's head. Church had passed something to Madame Stevenson, but it was not a weapon, and the learned counsel was sure his Honor would agree with him that, there had been no weapon used, and that Church had received great provocation. He would add that to prevent a similar recurrence at the Theatre Mr. Church, lessee, had made arrangements to have a policeman there in future during play nights.

His Honor in giving judgement said the case never ought to have been brought into Court at all. If there had been any evidence to show that defendant had used a life preserver he would have dealt with him most severely, but as such did not exist and the assault committed had been provoked, he would fine the defendant $1 and costs. (Laughter.)

The Court then rose.

FOOT BALL.—A more miserable day than yesterday for any description of outdoor sport could not possibly be imagined; a dense fog, cold atmosphere and general sense of dampness reigned supreme; nevertheless the foot ball match arranged to take place between the Navy and City came off at Beacon Hill in spite of bad weather and other drawbacks. At two o'clock, p. m., the Victorians having won the toss, elected to kick down but failed thereby to gain any advantage over their opponents, and after playing for half the allotted time with the game in *statu quo*, goals were changed and then a short delay was caused by the ball bursting. A new one having been procured, the game was continued with great spirit, the Navy now kicking down hill, but, strange to say, the ball was still kept in close proximity to the upper goal, and when time was called at 4:30 a draw was declared, neither side having kicked a goal. The following are the names of the Navy team:—Messrs. F. J. O. Thomas, T. F. Thomas, Wood, Capes, Hicks, Mould, Moody, Sutton, Wade, Wilson, Jones, Lake, Hewitson and Dymott. Victoria being represented by the following gentlemen:—Messrs. McKenzie, Tolmie, R. Tolmie, Good, Pooley, Pinder, Berkley, Gowen, Nagle, Jenner, Woods, Rhodes, Pagden and Gibbon. Notwithstanding the unpropitious state of the weather, the game was witnessed by a number of ladies and gentlemen who took a lively interest in the progress of the same.

THE OTTER.—The steamer Otter will leave for the Skeena and way ports on to-morrow, taking freight and passengers. She does not go beyond the Skeena this trip, which is the last of the season.

SAANICH PLOUGHING MATCH.—It is thought, should this fine weather continue, the Saanich Ploughing Match will have to be postponed, as the ground would be unsuited to the purpose.

TENDERS are required for repairs, etc., to the Naval Hospital, Esquimalt, and will be received on Wednesday, the 5th November.

City Council.

A meeting of the City Council was held last night. Present: His Worship the Mayor in the chair, and the following Councillors—Gowen, Taylor, Drummond, Hayward, Morton and Keast.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

An offer from Mr. E. Mallandaine, to furnish the Council with a copy of a map of the city, now in possession of Messrs. Plummer & Pagden, drawn by E. Mohun, Esq., C.E., was read, and on motion, referred to a committee,—Messrs. Gowen, Drummond and Morton,—for consideration.

A number of accounts for street labor were referred to the finance committee for payment and the following were passed in the usual manner:—

Victoria Gas Co., $10 25; Moody, Dietz & Nelson, $7 05; W. P. Sayward, $9 02. The sum of $4, for the interment of a destitute Hydah Indian, was referred to the Indian Commissioner for payment.

Mr. Englehardt's application to have the road repaired at the junction of Vancouver and Richardson streets, was read, and left in the hands of the Street Committee.

Councillor Gowen called the attention of the Council to the dangerous condition of a large building on Cormorant street, between Government and Douglas streets, recently occupied by Kwong Lee & Co., and on motion, the Clerk was ordered to instruct the owners of the lot on which the building is erected, to put the same in a condition safe to the travelling public.

The Street Committee reported progress on the gas question, and stated that the Gas Company were ready to commence the erection of lamps at once. The committee also recommended the following five additional places for lights:

Corner of Rae and Blanchard, Broad and Pandora, Douglas and Johnson, Yates and Blanchard, and Government and Fort streets.

Adopted.

The Council then adjourned.

A Man Accidentally Killed at North Saanich.

On Tuesday morning at North Saanich, between LeClair's and Reay's farms, in removing a threshing machine to Hellmoyle & Imrie's premises, the team of horses engaged in the transport of the machine took freight and ran away, and a man named John James Venn, the driver, was killed. The horses in attempting to make a short turn upset themselves, the waggon and contents, throwing the heavy machine upon the driver, crushing him terribly. He lived but twenty minutes. Several persons were present, witnesses of the sad and fatal occurrence. A. C. Anderson, Esq., coroner, held an inquest on the body same day, and the jury returned a verdict in accordance with the facts. Venn was an Englishman, we believe, and aged about forty years.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.—On Tuesday last, in North Saanich, a man named John Vine, engaged as a teamster for H. Simpson, while moving a threshing machine from Simpson's farm to Jas. McIlmoyl's, met with his death under the following circumstances: While on the way, as the team was passing through an opening in the fence, the wheel of the wagon struck a stone, which caused the tail-board of the wagon to fly out, and coming in contact with the horses' heels, they started off on a run, and as they suddenly turned a corner the wagon upset, and the sweeps of the machine fell upon the deceased, breaking his ribs and crushing his chest. The deceased only lived about fifteen minutes after the accident. He was an Englishman by birth, a single man, and aged about forty-six years. An inquest was held the same day before A. C. Anderson, Esq., coroner, and a verdict of accidental death returned.

Another Man Accidentally Killed.

The Isabel, just returned from Nanaimo, with a cargo of coal, reports that on Saturday last a miner named James Hooper was killed in a blast, at the Departure Bay coal mines.

THE PHILHARMONIC CONCERT AND BALL.—The inauguration of the Philharmonic Hall, we need scarcely remind our readers, takes place to-night. No effort has been spared to render the affair at once select and successful, and with the *recherche* programme which has been provided for the occasion, we see nothing to prevent the endeavors of the promoters being crowned with the victory which is their just meed. His Excellency the Lieut. Governor has consented to extend his patronage to the entertainment, and we therefore expect to see a very large and brilliant assemblage present; to those who prefer to attend the concert only, tickets at the moderate charge of $1 each, will be issued, and to those for whom the dance has an additional charm, the price of admission will be equally accessible, viz., for one gentleman and two ladies, $3; and for one gentleman only, $2, both including a *carte blanche* to the supper room. The instrumental portion of the programme embraces many gems from the hands of most celebrated composers—selections from the favorite operas "Lucia di Lammermoor," "La Fille du Regimento,"—Flotow's "Martha," etc.; the programme for the ball being interspersed with the most charming dance music of the day emanating from the pen of Strauss, Godfrey, Coote, Gounod and other equally welcome musical celebrities. Tickets may be procured during the day from Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co., Government street.

THE ASYLUM.—The departure of the Reindeer diminished the number of lunatics in the Asylum, two. They were seamen, and were sent home to England to their friends.

FOR THE SOUND.—The Isabel leaves to-day for Port Townsend, connect with the Eliza Anderson, and return with her mail and passengers.

FOR PORTLAND.—The Guagner has been chartered to load wheat at Portland, and will shortly sail for the Columbia.

THE BEST YET.—Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Tunstall—always importing THE Fashion—have just received the latest and most correct stock of Autumn and Winter Goods per steamer Alfred. The ladies of Victoria are fortunate in having access to a store replete with goods which not only rival any on the Pacific coast, but compare favorably with the stock of fashionable houses in the "West End" and Eastern cities.

THE LITTLE GEM—For marking clothing, cards, books, etc. This little stamp is everything its name indicates. Visiting cards can be printed as neatly as can be done by any printer, and for clothing nothing surpasses it. The name is set up in type and can be chaged at pleasure. For sale only at A. Rose & Co.'s job office, Fort street.

REMOVAL.—J. Finlayson, grocer, has removed his place of business from Government street to the premises lately occupied by Messrs. Brown & White, Fort street, opposite to the Mechanics' Institute.

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

SIR HENRY HOLLAND DEAD.

The Ashantee Expedition.

EASTERN STATES.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 28.—In the 24 hours the deaths at 6 o'clock this evening from yellow fever were 14; other causes, 9.

Memphis ventures to feel that her hour of relief has come. The scourge has at length yielded to skill.

MARSHALL, TEXAS, Oct. 28.—The total number of deaths from yellow fever since its first appearance here is 60, of which 22 occurred last week.

There was a good frost here last night; ice an inch thick this morning.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 28.—An exciting scene occurred in the Criminal Court this forenoon during the trial of James Kingswell, for the murder of Francis Malone. A son of deceased entered the room, made a savage attack upon the prisoner, attempting to stab him, and crying for vengeance against his father's murderer.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 28.—Allan and Hogan both returned to this city at 7 o'clock this evening. It is said that the stakeholder, James Eagan, has decided that the fight shall take place two weeks from to-day.

The *Republican* has a special from Dennison, Texas, which says that the Indians in that region are very hostile. Several murders have been committed. Two companies of soldiers left Fort Richardson on Monday in pursuit of the savages. There is general alarm among the frontier settlers.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—At noon to-day three ruffians entered the house of Mr. Bieske in Amity street, seized Mrs. Bieske, poured some stupifying liquor down her throat, ransacked the house, and were about leaving when her husband returned; the robbers fled.

EUROPE.

BERLIN, Oct. 28.—Prince Bismarck has been re-appointed President of the Prussian Ministry in place of General Von Roon. It is understood the restoration carries with it the effectual control of the whole Cabinet, which he demanded previously to his resignation some time ago.

LONDON, Oct, 29.—5 a. m.—Sir Henry Holland, the well known author and physician, is dead.

LONDON, Oct. 28—The *Times* reports on good authority that General Sir Garnett Wolsley, in command of the Ashantee expedition, took out instructions to first offer the Ashantees peace on condition that they lay down their arms and withdraw from the territory under British protection.

There was an accident to-day on the Metropolitan Underground Railroad, by which three persons were killed.

Several agrarian outrages have been committed in Ireland during the past week.

Dispatches announce that the cable between Amoy and Shanghai has been repaired and communication restored.

SECOND DISPATCH.

Reduction in Telegraph Rates.

THE STOKES TRIAL.

DEATH OF THE KING OF SAXONY.

Dense Fogs on the Sound.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Michael Reese appeared in the Police Court to-day to answer a charge of assault and battery on a tailor.

The Western Union Telegraph Co. announces that all rates above one dollar and fifty cents between stations on this coast will be reduced to that figure on and after the 1st of November. This effects an important reduction to all points in Washington Territory, Oregon, Southern California and Eastern Nevada.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Irvine, who admitted in San Francisco that he was criminally concerned in the murder of Nathan in this city two years ago, is to be tried for burglary.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—District Attorney Phelps this morning concluded his address in the Stokes case.

Counsel Tremaine, for the prisoner, then summed up on some of the points to the judge for consideration of the jury, and the Court then took a recess. After reassembling, Judge Davis began his charge to the jury.

It is now stated that the Allen-Hogan prize fight will take place to-morrow.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—General VanBuren, ex-commissioner to the Vienna Exposition, had an interview with the President and Secretary of State to-day.

Minister Lowe had a conversation with the President to-day, on the condition of affairs in Asia.

EUROPE.

VIENNA, Oct. 29.—There was another panic on the Bourse, and the Government is endeavoring to effect a settlement.

DRESDEN, Oct. 29.—The death of King John, of Saxony, at Plutz, is announced this morning.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—A dense fog lies over the city, and numerous accidents have occurred in the street. At this hour, 12:30, p. m., travel is almost suspended.

MADRID, Oct. 29.—It is reported the Carlists have fired on a British war vessel, killing one of the crew.

PARIS, Oc. 29.—The old opera house was burned to-day.

Earl Bellmar wrote a letter to the Minister of War, saying that if the monarchy was restored, he would resign from the army. The Minister agreed to place the General on the retired list.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

SEATTLE, Oct. 29.—A dense fog prevails over the Sound. Steamers arriving at this place have great difficulty in coming to the wharves.

LACONNER, W.T., Oct. 29.—A dense fog at intervals of a few hours, passes over this vicinity. Weather cold; wind north.

DAVID GREEN on Government street,
Announces that he can't be beat;
Vests, coats, and pants, he'll sell cheap,
In all styles and sizes he has a heap,
Depart at once his benefits to reap.

Go to Cassiar mines is the cry,
Resolve at GREEN'S your clothes to buy
Every class can be suited there,
Each article warranted not to tear,
Now go while you have the cash to spare.

NOVELTIES.—Music or Maps published, Visiting Cards printed from plates, Books, Cheques, etc., numbered and perforated; also, Charts or Drawing Paper mounted on linen, and the most difficult forms of ruling and book-binding executed with neatness and dispatch. R. T. WILLIAMS, at Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s, Government street.

THE PEACE RIVER AND NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Notes of a Voyage from Edmonton on the Saskatchewan, to the Pacific, via Peace River.

THE RIVERS SKEENA AND NAAS.

BY CHARLES HORETZKY.

[From the Ottawa Citizen.]

"Hurrah for Peace River!!" Such was the joyous exclamation of our Botanist, as, after waving an affectionate adieu to our late traveling companions he turned upon his heel and remarked to me in a manner peculiarly his own: "Now we shall soon settle

M'LEOD'S THEORY."

It must here be remarked by way of explanation, that in the early part of 1873, a pamphlet, styled The Peace River had been published in the city of Ottawa, setting forth the possibility of a line of communication between the Eastern and Western parts of the Dominion of Canada, by the Valley of the Peace River. The author of the article in question had, with great ingenuity, aided by extracts from an old Hudson's Bay Officer's Journal and Diary, in imagination levelled up from the shores of Hudson's Bay to the summit of Peace River Pass, and after very closely (as will be shown during the course of this narrative) approximating to its elevation above the sea, urged the theory of a railroad from the Atlantic to the Pacific, by that route.

The Chief Engineer of the Canadian Pacific road struck by the possible advantage of such a highway, choise the writer of these notes to make a reconnaissance of that pass, and ascertain, as nearly as possible, its actual elevation. With this object in view, I left Edmonton in the beginning of September, 1872, accompanied by Dr. Macoun, an eminent botanist *en route* for the Pacific coast.

Let the reader take up a good map of British Columbia, and thereon draw a line from Edmonton to Fort Assiniboine on the Athabasca thence, let him make a series of zig-zagged courses to the South Western extremity of Lesser Slave Lake, then North-westerly to the confluence of the Smoke River with Great Peace; from that point, in to nearly a straight line, across the country lying the north of that stream, to Dunvegan; now follow the Peace River through the Rocky Mountain Range to McLeods' Lake, and thence to Fort St James on Lake Stewart, and he will have traced the first part of

A VERY INTERESTING JOURNEY,

interesting not only for its novelty, but also on account of the varied and magnificent scenery through which it was made.

Having, as already remarked, bade adieu to our late "Compagnons de voyage," and having seen them fairly under weigh for Jasper House, it now behoved me to make preparations for the Peace River journey, and as the season was already advanced, no time was to be lost. A circumstance which lent an additional zest to our contemplate trip, was the fact, that we were in complete and utter ignorance as to the proper means of procedure and time necessary to accomplish the journey.

Nobody at Edmonton could tell us aught regarding.

THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN PASSES

north of the Tete Jaune Cache. In vain did we seek information as to our proposed journey. All the positive information we did obtain was, that a Hudson's Bay Co's boat did annually descend the Peace River to the Rocky Portage, for the customary supply of leather required for the Indian trade in New Caledonia; but that boat had already been down, and had long returned to the west side of the mountains, and that really our chances of getting through to McLeod's Lake, before the winter set in, were very slim indeed.

In fact everybody was too willing to impart what knowledge he was possessed of but as that was generally of a negative and contradictory character, we derived but little satisfaction or advantage from it. We were told by one party that such and such a route was not to be thought of by another, that we might possibly make very slow and tedious headway on foot through the dense forest of the Peace River, but that it would be folly to think of taking horses; and a third, and veritable Job's comforter, coolly affirmed that we would never be able to cross the "Grand Muskeg," which was described as infinitely worse than the famous dismal swamp of Virginia.

These conflicting and adverse statements, although rather disheartening, did not prevent my choice of some

WELL DEFINED COURSE OF ACTION,

and I determined to strike across the country to Fort Assiniboine, and thence over the swampy and barren ground intervening between it and the Lesser Slave Lake. But we had to bide our time. Two Hudson's Bay clerks then at Edmonton, had received peremptory instructions from their superior officer at Fort Garry, to immediately proceed to New Caledonia (a district of British Columbia) by way of Peace River, and as a matter of course all the resources of Edmonton in the way of horses, men and provisions, were laid under contribution in order to expedite their journey. The circumstance, coupled with the fact that Mr. Fleming had been supplied with the pick of men and horses for his trip to Jasper House, argued unfavorably for us, and added not a little to our anxiety. Notwithstanding those drawbacks, I set about making

PREPARATION FOR THE JOURNEY

as fast as under the circumstances it could be done; but little assistance, however could be expected from the company until Messrs. Y. & K. had been disposed of.

On the second of September those gentlemen's preparations being completed, they took their departure, kindly promising to smooth the way for us, by leaving advice of our expected advent at every post they should pass; and whilst bidding us farewell, adding that we should meet again only on the west side of the Rocky Mountains, as they would travel with customary Hudson's Bay celerity. The botanist, whose countenance during our affecting leave-taking of Messrs. Y. & K., had assumed a rueful and comically, sad expression, especially upon their allusion to our keeping the rear all the way to Lake McLeod, remarked, after the last of the cavalcade had disappeared through the main gate of the fort, that "It was too bad to be left behind in this, off-hand manner." Never mind, my dear Mac," said I; "we may not be so much behind them after all; and as they intend proceeding by canoe from Fort Assiniboine to Lesser Slave Lake, we may steal a march on them, and possibly get ahead of them yet."

The fact that provisions would not be readily obtainable when once away from Edmonton, until we reached Fort McLeod, or the Omenica mines, rendered it imperative to carry

SUPPLIES

in quantity sufficient for a journey of nine weeks' duration. I accordingly packed up 230 lbs. of flour, twelve pounds tea, twenty-four pounds sugar, and sundries, besides 150 lbs. of pemmican (equal quantities of finely pounded dried buffalo meat and grease), meat and tea we expected to find at any of the solitary establishments of the H. B. Co which we might pass during our journey.

Pack saddles and sundry horse trappings had to be made and fitted, men had to be chosen, and horses picked out from amongst the somewhat ill-conditioned animals left at the Co.'s horse-guard.

In the meantime, Mr. Mac, who was to be my fellow traveller as far as Fort St. James, on Lake Stewart whence he was to proceed to Quesnel and Victoria, busied himself in scouring the surrounding country in search of further botanical additions to his already bulky collection.

OUR PARTY,

when ready, consisted of four persons, viz: the botanist, myself, and two hired men—one of them, an English miner named Robt. Armstrong, recently arrived from the Omenica diggings, on Peace River, and who desired to return thither, having evidently failed to appreciate the society and advantages of the Upper Saskatchewan; the other, an English half-breed, by name Thomas, who turned out to be as lazy a rascal as ever munched pemmican.

Of horses, we had six to pack, and four to ride, making ten in all.

After many vexatious delays, Mr. Macoun, the two men, with nine horses and two carts (the latter I had decided to take as far as wheels could be made use of), left Edmonton on the 3rd of September, while I remained behind, intending to overtake them on the following day. My object in staying behind was to complete some barometric observations and settle accounts with Mr. Hardisty, whose kindness and hospitality had been unvarying.

On the 4th, after breakfasting and saying "Good-bye" to the inmates of the Fort, I mounted my little nag, gained the high ground immediately behind the Fort, and taking

A LAST LOOK AT THE SASKATCHEWAN,

turned my horse's head towards Lake St. Albert, which I reached after a pleasant ride of nine miles. My first visit was to my old friend, Mr. Chastellian, who immediately saddled a horse, and expressed his intention to accompany me for the first few miles towards Lake La Nonne.

Before leaving, we paid a visit to his Lordship Bishop Grandin and the Oblat missionaries, who have a large establishment here. These gentlemen would not allow me to depart without partaking of some collation. So we were detained until the forenoon was far advanced, and it was nearly eleven o'clock before we managed to escape from our kind friends. The day being fair but cloudy, we rode along pleasantly for seven or eight miles, Mr. Chastellian, after wishing all kinds of luck to our expedition, turned his horse homewards, and I was left to pursue my way alone over the beautiful and undulating country.

At one p. m., I overtook our little train which had stopped by the side of a small creek, and found the botanist and the two men busily and pleasantly employed

PREPARING DINNER.

The preparation of this meal, and indeed of all our meals, which were unvarying in kind and quality, simply consisted in the pounding up with an axe of a couple pounds of the buffalo pemmican, which, after receiving an addition of water, and a sprinkling of flower, was placed in a frying-pan and heated. This mixture, together with tea and bread, was our daily food during the whole journey to McLeod's Lake, and although very uninviting to a tyro, is the strongest food and the best for the traveller. One great advantage of pemmican is its portability. It can be compressed into very small bulk. A bag containing 100 lbs. net weight, measures but three feet in length by about ten inches in width, and will serve four men over a month.

OUR HORSES

were quietly feeding on the rich and nutritious grass which lined the banks of the creek. Those animals were of all shades of color, and no two were alike in size. They were of the hardy little breed peculiar to the Saskatchewan country, and though not much to look at, were possessed of qualities of endurance hardly to be expected from animals of their appearance. The horses, like the half-breeds of the country, understood a jargon, half French, half Cree Indian, and answered to such names as: Bichon, Rouge; Noir, Sacre diable, &c. I noticed with much concern, however, that one or two of them had a slight tendency to sore back, but Armstrong, the miner, had seen to them, and had with great forethought, fitted relieving pads to the saddles.

At two p. m. dinner being dispatched, we saddled up again and resumed our journey. From Lake St. Albert to this point, the land had been gradually rising westward, and we were approaching

THE DIVIDING RIDGE,

between the waters of the Saskatchewan and those of the Mackenzie River. The character of the country was beginning to change also. Before dinner, prairie had prevailed over wood, but now the clumps of aspen and popular became larger and occurred more frequently, and the trees themselves began to assume a greater size. A few spruce trees appeared occasionally, and we saw that we would soon to leave the prairie behind us, for a time at least. As we left our dinner camp a few drops of rain began to fall and the clouds, which since morning had been gradually accumulating, being now surcharged a steady rain set in, which continued without intermission until late the following morning. We had no alternative, however, but to go on and we halted only at 6 p. m. by a fine lake of fresh water, having accomplished a distance of about thirty-four miles from Edmonton.

After considerable trouble and delay we lighted a roaring fire, and having pitched our tent we proceeded to make ourselves comfortable for the night.

September 5th.—Still raining this morning, and in consequence we remained in camp until 9:30 a. m. when, the weather showing signs of improvement, we packed up and moved on through the woods in the direction of Lake la Nonne. Traveling this forenoon was

PARTICULARLY DISAGREEABLE,

the long grass and bushes being laden with rain and at every step, notwithstanding the utmost care, we received a perfect shower bath. As we advanced, the trail began to change considerably for the worse, the ground becoming hilly and broken and numerous wind-falls blocking up the road at frequent intervals. Several times during this forenoon's march we had to exert our united strength to extricate the carts from the many quagmires which we could not avoid, and at 1 p. m. when we stopped for an hour to rest our horses and boil our tea kettle, we had only made six miles by the odometer.

After dinner we resumed our march, the road becoming much worse, and in some places impassable for the carts, which at every yard, kept sinking up to the hubs. Two miles of this abominable road took us out into higher and drier ground, where the trail improved very much and we were enabled to make satisfactory progress. We were now on

THE MACKENZIE RIVER WATERSHED,

the small creeks flowing northwesterly, and into the Athabasca. The height of land, we had passed a little before dinner.

We arrived at Lake la Nonne before sundown, and camped close to Messrs. Y. & K. the two H. B. gentlemen, who had only just arrived. They had experienced a great deal of trouble in passing over the last ten miles of ground, as indeed we had seen, the numerous freshly chopped windfalls we had passed, testifying to the immense amount of road clearing they and their men had done for the general good.

They were a little wroth at the idea of having pioneered for our benefit, and half joking half seriously expressed the wish that we should take the lead next morning. "Well, gentlemen," said the Botanist, "We started with the understanding that you were to go ahead, and keep ahead, and I only hope now that you will be men of your word and do so still." "Besides," continued he, "I thought you were fast travellers." Our two H. B. friends being good-natured at bottom, took the taunting of our Botanist in good part and invited us to join them at supper, which we did, not having the patience to wait for our own. After sundown, we strolled along the creek and lake margin in search of ducks and geese, which are very numerous about here.

LAKE LA NONNE

is of small extent, and empties its surplus waters into the Pembina, the most southern of the prairie streams tributary to the Mackenzie river.

The lake abounds with excellent white fish, and the surrounding country is thickly wooded. The soil is excellent, and from the general appearance of the country, not only here, but between this and Edmonton, we saw excellent opportunities for farming and stock raising.

The experiences of to-day not having impressed us very favorably with regard to wheeled vehicles, I determined to abandon the two carts and pack on horses. The other party volunteering to try how far a cart could be taken, one of those rude Red River contrivances was handed over to them with a request to keep the odometer register. For the information of those who have never seen anything of the kind, it may be explained that the odometer, or trochiameter as it is sometimes called, is an instrument attached to the wheel of a vehicle by which the number of revolutions is registered—this number, being multiplied into the circumference of the wheel, gives the distance travelled.

By 9 p. m. the camp was quiet, every one being pretty well tired out after the exertions of the day.

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MRS. J. W. McCONNELL, James Bay,

Or on the Premises to J. W. McConnell. oct23 2m

Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT by virtue of a deed of assignment, the interest of Richard Brodrick in the firm of R. Brodrick and Company is now vested in me the undersigned.

FRANCIS GARESCHE.

Victoria, Oct. 22, 1873. oct23

Department of Marine & Fisheries

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

AN IRON BEACON HAS BEEN PLACED ON THE extreme Easterly Patch of Gabriola Reef, Straits of Georgia.

The Beacon shows an iron Cage Ball 8 feet in diameter painted Black, 26 feet above high water Mark.

Mariners should not approach the Beacon within half a mile.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 13th, 1873. oct15 2m

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40 " Lochnagar Whisky,
30 " Angostura Bitters,
50 " Swaine Boord Orange Bitters,
50 " Boker's Bitters,
50 " Hostetter's Bitters,
50 " Pipifax Bitters,
50 " Imperial Stomach Bitters,
20 " The Best do do
50 " Holland Boonecamp Stomach Bitters,
50 " Turner's Stoughton Bitters,
40 Casks Preller Claret,
20 hf Casks do do
100 Cases Chs. Valmont Claret,
100 " Preller Claret (green label),
100 " Lormont Claret,
50 " Gruan Larose Bordeaux,
100 " White Wine Petites Graves,
100 " Haut Sauterne,
50 " LaTour Blanche White Wine,
50 " Burgandy Wines, such as: Chablis, Chambertin, Volnay, Beaune, St. George, and Nuits,
10 " Sparkling Burgundy,
100 " HOCK WINES: Sparkling Moselle, pints and quarts Steinwein, Winningen, Niersteiner, Rhenish, Liebfraumilk, Johannisberg,
200 " CHAMPAGNES: Napoleon Cabinet, Bouche Fils & Co. Special Cuvee, Eugene Cliquot, Grape Leaf Fleur d'Sillery, Tactas, DePaul & Co., Benj. & Eug. Perrier,
60 " Vermouth Noilly Pratt,
30 " Maraschino de Zara,
30 " Curacoa, Rouge,
30 " Chartereuse, Jaune et Blanche,
10 " Cassis,
10 " Anisette,
10 " Noyau,
10 " Pousse Cafe,
50 " Kirshwasser,
50 " Absinthe,
50 " Essence of Peppermint,
50 " Essence of Ginger,
10 qr. Casks Superior Sherry,
10 " Superior Port Wine,
5 Hhds. of Jamaica Rum,
10 Casks Triple White Wine Vinegar.

Also—On Hand.

Bourbon Whiskies in bulk, of different grades and prices,

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Sherry and Port Wines in cases,

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Cutting's Superior Sparkling Cider in cases and casks,

Blood-Wolfe's Porter in quarts and pints,

Kummel Wasser,

Syrups—Raspberry, Gum and Lemon.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

RULES RELATIVE TO PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co.; or otherwise for granting to any individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the right or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act.—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature object of the application, to be published as follows.—

A notice inserted in the British Columbia Gazette and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the intervals of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge, is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intent to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
2nd August, 1873.

FREE GRANTS.

The following is published for the information of Settlers desirous of availing themselves of the Free Grant Clauses of the Land Amendment Act, 1873.

ON A MEMORANDUM DATED 14th July, 1873, from the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works reporting that it is necessary to set aside at once certain sections of Land in the Province as Free Grant Sections under the provisions of the Land Amendment Act, 1873:

And recommending that One Hundred and Sixty Acres be allowed on the East Coast of Vancouver Island between Chatham Point and Fort Rupert (being a distance of about ninety statute miles) and East of the Cascade Range the quantity allowed to be taken for a Free Grant be Two Hundred and Forty Acres and that in New Westminster District the Chief Commissioner be authorized to set apart two Townships, in which Free Grants of an extent of One Hundred and Sixty Acres may be located,

The Committee advise that the recommendation be approved.

(Signed) A. DeCOSMOS,
President of the Council.

Approved in Council,
JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.
25 July, 1873.

By Command.
JOHN ASH.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by an Order in Council, dated 20th Sept., 1873, it was determined that the price of Mineral Land, with the right to take Coal and all the baser metals and minerals, but reserving Gold, Platinum and Silver, should be Ten Dollars per Acre, payable half in cash and the balance in two years, or previous to Survey and issue of Crown Grant, and that no person should be allowed either directly or indirectly to purchase more than Six Hundred and forty acres as above.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands & Works.
Victoria, 22rd Sept., 1873. se24

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by an Order in Council dated 20th Sept., 1873, it was determined that pre-emptors, who have recorded land in error, as a pre-emption purchase, under the Land Ordinance of 11th April, 1865, subsequent to the 20th October, 1870, and who have paid a deposit of two shillings and one penny per acre should be permitted to purchase land at the rate of one dollar per acre, subject to the Land Ordinances, 1870 and 1873, and by complying with the Regulations as to the purchase of unsurveyed land under date 27th August, 1873, excepting as to the payment of a record fee of Five Dollars, and by substituting Fifty cents per acre in lieu of one dollar as contained in Section 2 of said Regulations.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Victoria, 23rd September, 1873. se24

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in compliance with an application to that effect a highway is established commencing at the corner post of lots 1 and 2 subdivisions of Section 31 Victoria District, on the section line between Sections 44 and 31, and extending southerly along the line between the said subdivisions 1 and 2, and 20 feet on each side thereof, to the Cross-road, from the Uplands Farm to the Cedar Hill Road.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, Oct. 15th, 1873. oc16

PUBLIC NOTICE.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Goal Delivery and of Nisi Prius will be held at Victoria, on Friday, the 7th November, next.

By Command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.
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Wharf Street.
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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the 7th day of June, 1873, of the Honorable the Privy Council of Canada, it has been decided "that Esquimalt, in Vancouver Island, be fixed as the Terminus of "the Canadian Pacific Railway, and that a "line of Railway be located between the "Harbour of Esquimalt and Seymour Narrows, on the said Island;" and whereas in accordance with the Terms of the said Order in Council, application has been made to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of "British Columbia, for a reservation and for "the conveyance to the Dominion Government, in trust, according to the 11th Paragraph of the Terms of the Agreement of "Union, of a strip of Land Twenty Miles in "width along the Eastern Coast of Vancouver "Island, between Seymour Narrows and the "Harbour of Esquimalt, in furtherance of the construction of the said Railway."

And whereas it has been deemed advisable that the Land within the limits aforesaid should be Reserved, prior to any conveyance aforesaid being made thereof. Public notice is therefore hereby given that from and after this date a strip of Land Twenty Miles in width along the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island between Seymour Narrows and the Harbour of Esquimalt is hereby Reserved.

By Command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
July 1, 1873. oc 1

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
3rd October, 1873.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under "The Public School Act, 1873," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing and to define the boundaries thereof; it is hereby notified that his Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Burgoyne Bay School District," viz:—

All that tract of land within a line commencing at a point on the shore in the centre of Ganges Harbour, Salt Spring Island, thence running Westerly along the summit of the Otter Range to the sea shore; thence following the shore line, Southerly, to the point of commencement, and including Moresby, Russell, and Portland Islands.

By Command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
3rd October, 1873.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under "The Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof; it is hereby notified that his Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Trenant School District," viz:—

All that tract of land within a line commencing at the Southern bank of Fraser River, opposite Tilbury Island, thence running due South in prolongation of the dividing line of Ranges 4 and 5 West, Block 4 and 5 North, New Westminster District, to the sea shore at Boundary Bay, thence Southwesterly along the shore line, to the 49th parallel of latitude; thence along said 49th parallel to the sea shore at Roberts Bay; thence along the shore line, Northerly, to Pelly Point, at the mouth of Fraser River; thence along the said Southern bank of the Fraser River, to the point of commencement.

By Command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
August 21st 1873.

AS it is desirable, in view of framing a scheme for Assisted Immigration to the Province of British Columbia, that the Government should be possessed of the fullest data on which to base calculation as to the number of persons resident in the Province who might be desirous of availing themselves, in the interest of friends, relatives, &c., of any arrangements that may be hereafter made by the Government of the Province in this behalf, all persons settled in the Province who may desire to bring out relatives or friends, and all employers who may wish to bring out laborers or servants, are requested to send the fullest particulars to the Provincial Secretary.

Those desirous of bringing out friends or relatives to state numbers, age, and sex of possible immigrants, and the amount that they are prepared to advance towards the desired object.

With regard to those desirous of bringing out labourers or servants, a guarantee would be required for the repayment to the Government, at stated periods, of the sums advanced for passage, and applicants must state that they are prepared to give the same.

It will be fully understood that by the present notice the Government do not bind themselves to carry out any individual application or any general plan of Assisted Immigration at present, but merely to obtain requisite preliminary information.

By Command
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.
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Appointment.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Hans Helgesen and William Fisher (of Metchosin), Esquires, to be Commissioners under the "Drainage, Dyking, and Irrigation Act, 1873," for the Road District of Esquimalt, as described in the "Road Amendment Ordinance, 1870." oc7

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by an Order in Council dated 3rd September, 1873, it was determined that in the event of a Pre-emptor recording 160 acres of Prairie Land in New Westminster District, he should be allowed to locate Twenty acres of Timbered Land in the vicinity of his pre-emption; the said location to be made under the same rules and regulations as were issued under date, August 27, 1873, as to the purchasing of unsurveyed land from the Crown, excepting as to the cash payment of $1 per acre, but to be subject to the same conditions as to settlement and payment as land recorded as a pre-emption under the "Land Ordinance Act, 1870," and "Land Ordinance Amendment Act, 1873" and shall appertain to and form an addition to such pre-emption.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Victoria, September 13th, 1873. se15

NOTICE.

PURCHASERS of Surveyed Lands in New Westminster District, upon which instalments are due, are requested to complete their payments at the Land Office in Victoria or New Westminster, at an early date.

By Command,
ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 16th July, 1873. oc19dw

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by an Order in Council, dated 20th Sept., 1873, it was determined that the price of Mineral Land, with the right to take Coal and all the baser metals and minerals, but reserving Gold, Platinum and Silver, should be Ten Dollars per Acre, payable half in cash and the balance in two years, or previous to Survey and issue of Crown Grant, and that no person should be allowed either directly or indirectly to purchase more than Six Hundred and forty acres as above.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands & Works.
Victoria, 22rd Sept., 1873. se24

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by an Order in Council dated 20th Sept., 1873, it was determined that pre-emptors, who have recorded land in error, as a pre-emption purchase, under the Land Ordinance of 11th April, 1865, subsequent to the 20th October, 1870, and who have paid a deposit of two shillings and one penny per acre should be permitted to purchase land at the rate of one dollar per acre, subject to the Land Ordinances, 1870 and 1873, and by complying with the Regulations as to the purchase of unsurveyed land under date 27th August, 1873, excepting as to the payment of a record fee of Five Dollars, and by substituting Fifty cents per acre in lieu of one dollar as contained in Section 2 of said Regulations.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Victoria, 23rd September, 1873. se24

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in compliance with an application to that effect a highway is established commencing at the corner post of lots 1 and 2 subdivisions of Section 31 Victoria District, on the section line between Sections 44 and 31, and extending southerly along the line between the said subdivisions 1 and 2, and 20 feet on each side thereof, to the Cross-road, from the Uplands Farm to the Cedar Hill Road.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, Oct. 15th, 1873. oc16

PUBLIC NOTICE.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Goal Delivery and of Nisi Prius will be held at Victoria, on Friday, the 7th November, next.

By Command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Lands in New Westminster District offered for sale by Public Auction on the 30th ultimo and unsold, are now open for sale at the rate of One Dollar per acre, on the following terms, viz:

A deposit of 50 cents per acre to be paid on application, and the balance in twelve months.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, Oct. 6th, 1873. oc7

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the faith, &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature of Parliament, of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Monday the Twenty-fifth day of August next, to have been commenced and held, and every of you.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEO. A WALKEM, *Attorney-General.*

WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature of Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Monday the Twenty-fifth day of August next, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear:

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby countermanding, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on THURSDAY, the TWENTY SEVENTH day of the month of NOVEMBER next you meet us in our Legislature, or Parliament, of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command.
HENRY S. MASON.
Deputy Registrar Supreme Court.
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PRIVATE BILLS.

PARTIES intending to make application to Parliament for Private Bills, either for granting exclusive privileges, or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, or for doing anything tending to affect the rights or property of other parties, are hereby notified that they are required by the Rules of the two Houses of Parliament, (which are published in full in the *Canada Gazette*), to give TWO MONTHS' NOTICE of the application (clearly and distinctly specifying its nature and object), in the *Canada Gazette*, and also in a newspaper published in the County or Union of Counties affected, sending copies of the the Papers containing the first and last of such notices to the Private Bill Office of each House.

All Petitions for Private Bills must be presented within the *first three weeks* of the Session.

ROBERT LEMOINE,
Clerk of the Senate.
ALFRED PATRICK,
Clerk of the House of Commons.
se19

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.
3rd October, 1873.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under "The Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Colwood School District," viz:—

All that tract of land within a line commencing at the North end of Parson's Bridge, then following Rowe Stream to the boundary line between Sections 97 and 79, thence in a Northerly direction along the Eastern boundary of Section 98 to the boundary line between the Highland and Esquimalt Districts; thence Westerly, along said boundary line, to the North-west corner of Section 14, thence South-westerly, to the South-east corner of Section 100; thence in a South-easterly direction to the South-west corner of Section 51; thence along the section line between Sections 58 and 51, to the shore at Royal Bay; thence North-easterly along the shore line to the Southern end of Parsons' Bridge; thence along the said bridge to the point of commencement.

By command.
JOHN ASH,
Provincial Secretary.
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THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

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THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS YEAR will close on 15th November, 1873, and in order to secure the advantage of this year's entry to the Profit Scheme, Proposals should be lodged with the Agents on or before that date. The next Division of Profits will take place in 1875. oc4

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EDWARD MOHUN

CIVIL ENGINEER

AND

SURVEYOR.

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Notice

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A. DeCOSMOS.
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NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE Firm of Duck & Sandover are required to settle the Same by the 20th of October next, after which date the Firm will be dissolved and all unsettled accounts placed in Court for collection. All parties to whom the Firm is indebted are requested to send in their accounts for payment.

DUCK & SANDOVER.
se25

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Mrs. E. Smith and Thomas Spelman as the firm of Smith & Spelman, Hotelkeepers, Clinton, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business in future will be carried on by Mrs. E. Smith.

All parties indebted to the firm of Smith & Spelman, will please pay the amount due by them to Mr. C. E. Pope, Clinton, within thirty days from date, and all parties having claims against the said firm are requested to send them in forthwith.

Clinton, 6th October, 1873. oc13 dw3m

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